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**Kenneth F. Ripple**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1943  
Education: Fordham 1965 AB; Virginia 1968 JD;  
George Washington 1972 LLM  
Began Service: June 10, 1985  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Corporate:** Attorney, International Business Machines Corporation (1968)

**Government:** Legal Officer, Supreme Court of the United States (1972-1973); Legal Assistant, Supreme Court of the United States (1973-1977)

**Military Service:** Commander, United States Naval Reserve, Judge Advocate General's Corps (1968-1972); Office of the Judge Advocate General, Department of the Navy (1969-1972)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The American Law Institute; Federal Bar Association; The New York State Bar Association; The Supreme Court Historical Society

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**Daniel A. Manion**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1942  
Education: Notre Dame 1964 AB; Indiana 1973 JD  
Began Service: 1986  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Corporate:** Manion Forum Trust (1967); Mountain Valley Water Co. (1967-1968); Alexander Hamilton Life Insurance Co. (1968); Director, St. Joseph Bank and Trust Co. (1979-1986)

**Government:** Director, Industrial Development, Department of Commerce, State of Indiana (1968-1973); Deputy Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1973-1974); State Senator (R-IA), Indiana State Senate (1978-1982)

**Judicial:** Circuit Judge, Chambers of Circuit Judge Daniel A. Manion, United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit (1986-2007)

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Doran, Manion, Boynton, Kamm & Esmont (1974-1986)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1965-1966)

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**Number of Judgeships:** 11

**Supreme Court Justice:** Associate Justice Samuel A. Alito Jr.

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**James B. Loken**  
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1940  
Education: Wisconsin 1962 BS; Harvard 1965 LLB  
Began Service: 1991  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Affiliation:** Member, Chambers of Member James B. Loken, Judicial Conference of the United States

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable J. Edward Lumbard, United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit (1965-1966); Law Clerk The Honorable Byron R. White, Supreme Court of the United States (1966-1967)

**Government:** General Counsel, President's Committee on Consumer Interests, Executive Office of the President (1970); Staff Assistant to the President, Executive Office of the President, Richard M. Nixon Administration (1970-1972)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Faegre & Benson LLP (1967-1970); Partner, Faegre & Benson LLP (1972-1990)

**Current Memberships:** Hennepin County Bar Association; Minnesota State Bar Association

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**Chambers of Circuit Judge Roger L. Wollman**

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**Roger L. Wollman**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1934  
Education: Tabor 1957 BA; South Dakota 1962 JD; Harvard 1964 LLM  
Began Service: September 6, 1985  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable George T. Mickelson, United States District Court for the District of South Dakota (1962-1963)

**Judicial:** Associate Justice, South Dakota Supreme Court (1971-1985); Member, Judicial Conference of the United States (1999-2002)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Law Office of Douglas W. Bantz (1964-1971)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1957-1959)

**Current Memberships:** American Judicature Society; State Bar of South Dakota

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**Diana E. Murphy**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1934  
Education: Minnesota 1954 BA, 1974 JD  
Began Service: October 11, 1994  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Affiliation:** Trustee, Board of Trustees, University of St. Thomas

**Judicial:** Judge, Hennepin County Municipal Court (1976-1978); Judge, Minnesota District Court, Fourth Judicial District (1978-1980); Judge, United States District Court for the District of Minnesota (1980-1994); Chief Judge, United States District Court for the District of Minnesota (1992-1994); Chair, United States Sentencing Commission (1999-2004)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Lindquist & Vennum PLLP (1974-1976)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; Federal Judges Association; Minnesota State Bar Association; Minnesota Women Lawyers; National Association of Women Judges

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